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PALESTINE, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 15, 1909.

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Don't forget the date, Wednesday,
December 22nd.

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BE SURE YOU'RE RIGHT

That is good advice all the time. It is especially good in buying
Real Estate. I have been selling East Texas property for years,
and I am still here and selling more and more all the time. My
customers of the past are my friends of today. Enough said.

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YOUR PANTRY

Would be complete if it was filled with some of the following goods
that you can buy from TEMPLE:

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Stringless beans	Lima beans
Extra sifted peas	Red Kidney beans
Apples	Pears
Red cherries	White cherries
Blackberries	Raspberries
Strawberries	

A trial order is all that is necessary to
prove this with

J. S. TEMPLE
The Grocer.

WILL MAKE EXTENSIONS FARMERS' HALL OF FAME

Manager Wilson of the Sewer Com-
pany Says Territory of Sewer
Service Will Be Doubled.

Manager V. D. Wilson of the Pal-
estine Sewer company informs a Her-
ald man today that the work of mak-
ing the extensions of the sewer mains
to the northern part of the city will
begin soon after the holidays, just as
soon as the material can be secured.

The extension as planned will begin
with a lead sewer to commence on
Spring street, near the Independent
Lumber company's yards, where con-
nection will be made with the main
sewer. Following the ravine north-
west it will intersect Lacy street;
thence west on Lacy street to Ten-
nessee avenue; thence along Ten-
nessee avenue to Esplanade street; on
Fowler from Lacy to Palestine ave-
nue; on Pine street from Fowler to
Cedar; on Cedar from Pine to Pal-
estine avenue; on North Sycamore
from Lacy to Palestine avenue; on
Kolstad from Fowler to Tennessee
avenue; on Queen from Lacy to Flor-
ida; on Green from Queen to Ten-
nessee avenue; on Tennessee avenue
from Kolstad to Green; on Green
from North Jackson to Tennessee
avenue; on Howard avenue from De-
Bard to Lacy; on Tennessee avenue
from Covert to Lacy; on DeBard from
Howard avenue to John; from DeBard
to Lacy; on Palmer from Lacy to
Crawford; on John from Lacy to Kol-
stad; on Pine from John to North Sy-
camore; on Pine from Fowler to North
Sycamore; on Kolstad from Fowler to
North Sycamore; on Louisiana from
Esplanade to Queen; on North Jackson
from Coronaca to Austin; on Austin
from Esplanade to Tennessee avenue.

These extensions, when made, will
serve more than double the territory
now being served by the company.

The Sewer company also has the as-
surance of the commissioners that
every piece of occupied property along
the lines of the sewer will be forced
to connect up with the main sewer.
That all parties on the sewer lines now
existing, and who have not done so,
will be forced to connect up their
premises with the service. This is
one of the conditions that determined
the company in making the exten-
sions.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

Routine Business Is Transacted, and
Schools Are Reported In Splen-
did Condition.

The city school board met last eve-
ning at the Board of Trade rooms, in
regular monthly session, and the rou-
tine business was transacted.

The finance committee made its re-
port, and a report was received from
Superintendent King. The schools
were shown to be doing good work,
and are in splendid condition.

A report was read from the
superintendent of the water works
company, stating the company was not
yet able to flush and clean their water
mains. The board had requested this
work done, in order to again resume
the using of the city water. During
the season water has been hauled for
drinking purposes, the city water be-
ing deemed unsafe. The local physi-
cians now say the water can be used
with reasonable safety, and that it is
wholesome, except that the deposits
of mud, filth, etc., during the scarcity
of water deposited in the pipes from
doubtful sources, made it a hazard.
As soon as the pipes can be thorough-
ly flushed the water, it is thought,
will be safe for drinking purposes.
This, the superintendent of the plant
says, cannot be done until a more
plentiful supply of water is at hand.

It was decided to continue hauling
water for drinking purposes at the
schools until it is deemed reasonably
safe to change.

All bills properly o. k'd were order-
ed paid.

Campbell Makes Appointments.

Austin, Texas, Dec. 14.—The gover-
nor today received the resignation of
Thomas B. Love, commissioner of
banking and insurance, to become ef-
fective February 1, 1910, and imme-
diately announced that he would ap-
point William E. Hawkins to the vacan-
cy. The governor also announced
the appointment of Tom Mercer of
Morgan, Bosque county, to be a peni-
tentiary inspector in place of Sam
Hawkins, resigned. The latter change
is to take effect on January 1, 1910.

Unveiling of Portrait of the Inventor
of the Reaping Machine, Cyrus
Hall McCormick.

(Herald Special.)

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 15.—The memory
of Cyrus Hall McCormick, whose in-
vention of the reaping machine revo-
lutionized the agricultural industry in
all civilized lands, was honored at
the University of Illinois today in the
unveiling of a portrait of the inventor
in the new memorial hall of the col-
lege of agriculture. The portrait is
the first of a number that are to be
placed in the so-called "Hall of Fame,"
which is designed to perpetuate the
names of men famous in the world of
agriculture. Four names have been
chosen for his honor, but only the
picture of Mr. McCormick was hung
at the dedicatory exercises today. The
other names are those of James N.
Brown, the first president of the Illi-
nois state board of agriculture; Isaac
Fink, one of the most successful of
the pioneer farmers; and Prof. Jona-
than B. Turner, the originator of the
idea of a national system of land
grant colleges to include the then
new subjects of agriculture and me-
chanic arts.

Interesting exercises attended the
unveiling of the McCormick portrait.
Governor Deneen was one of the prin-
cipal participants, and among the
others who delivered addresses were
Lawrence W. Moyes, president of the
Illinois Manufacturers' Association;
Col. Charles F. Mills, former secretary
of the Illinois state board of agricul-
ture; Prof. Eugene Davenport, dean
of the college of agriculture, and Ed-
mund J. James, president of the Uni-
versity of Illinois. The portrait was
unveiled by Miss Muriel McCormick,
granddaughter of Cyrus Hall McCor-
mick, and also a granddaughter of
John D. Rockefeller.

The time for placing the McCor-
mick portrait in the "Hall of Fame"
was appropriately chosen, as the
celebrated inventor, the
Cyrus Hall McCormick was a
man of plucky energy and of signal
success. He was the son of a Vir-
ginia farmer who had himself spent a
large part of an active life in his en-
deavors to make a machine to do the
work of the sickle and the cradle,
but he had failed. The son took the
task as an inheritance. He succeed-
ed not only in perfecting the reaper
but in arrangement for the construc-
tion and sale of the machines. His
capacity for business was not inferior
to his inventive faculty. He built up
at Chicago one of the greatest manu-
facturing establishments of the world.

LAND SALE IN OKLAHOMA

Proceeds From Sale of 1,600,000 Acres
of Land Will Go Into the
Common School Fund.

(Herald Special.)

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 15.—During the
next three weeks the state of Okla-
homa is to sell 1,600,000 acres of com-
mon school indemnity lands, the
proceeds of which will go into the
common school fund. The sale was
begun today at Chandler, where John
N. Shepler, superintendent of sales of
the school land department, put up
at auction the first batch of 361
tracts that are to be sold in Lincoln
county.

The 1,600,000 acres to be sold is
appraised at from eight to thirty-four
dollars an acre. About half a mil-
lion acres are listed as agricultural
land, while the rest is better adapted
to grazing. No purchaser can obtain
more than 160 acres, and in addition
to the price of the soil he must pay
for any improvements already made
by leaseholders.

It is the desire of the state to sell
the common school indemnity lands
as soon as possible, because of the
fact that they lie in large tracts,
leaving practically no taxable lands in
the townships and school districts
where they are located. After the in-
demnity lands have been sold, the
new college lands, which also lie in
large tracts to a considerable degree,
and the public buildings lands are to
be disposed of.

Ambulance Rebuilt.

The I. & G. N. railroad ambulance
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